

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - October 2007

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
ALABAMA, Southwest				

MOBILE COUNTY --- DAUPHIN IS [30.25, -88.12]

10/22/07 14:07 CST	0	Tornado (EF0, L: 0.10 mi , W: 50 yd)
10/22/07 14:08 CST	0	Source: Mariner

A waterspout moved ashore near Dauphin Island and quickly dissipated on the beach. The weak tornado dissipated over the beach and no damage was found.

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MOBILE COUNTY --- 0.7 SE BAYOU LA BATRE ARPT [30.44, -88.21], 0.7 ENE BAYOU LA BATRE ARPT [30.45, -88.21]

10/22/07 15:33 CST	0.75M	Tornado (EF1, L: 0.70 mi , W: 200 yd)
10/22/07 15:36 CST	0	Source: NWS Storm Survey

The National Weather Service in Mobile conducted a damage assessment of the tornadic thunderstorms that moved across south Mobile county late Monday afternoon, October 22nd.

Meteorologists from the Weather Service in Mobile found that a tornado first touched down just south of Memory lane southeast of Bayou La Batre airport. This area was where most of the damage occurred. A manufactured home was broadsided by the tornado and the home was overturned and demolished. Another manufactured home was pushed several feet by the winds but stayed anchored into the ground. A shed was completely destroyed by the winds. Several other homes were damaged in the area. Trees and power lines were also blown down. Seven people took refuge in a bathtub, fortunately their home only suffered some siding and roof damage. The tornado then tracked north northeast, paralleling Walker road and lifted just south of Roy E Ray road. A couple of homes were damaged and sheds and travel trailers were damaged along this track. Trees were also blown down. At the end of the track of the tornado, just south of Roy E Ray road, several homes suffered roof and eave damage. Trees and power lines were also damaged in this area. A resident said the tornado struck around 436 pm CDT.

The tornado was rated at an EF1 (86 to 109 mph) on the enhanced Fujita scale. The length of the tornado track was about three-quarters of a mile and the width of the tornado was 200 yards. There were no injuries caused by the tornado. The tornado damaged fifteen to twenty residences with one destroyed and two severely damaged. Others suffered minimum to moderate damage.

An EF1 tornado moved across the south part of Mobile county.